

BUSINESS GOOD IN ALL LINES

Shortage of Cars Interferes Considerably With the Lumber Trade.

HARDWARE SALES GOOD

CONFERENCE VISITORS LOOSEN PURSE STRINGS DURING WEEK.

Conference money was much in evidence during the last week and the result was that the retailers and the wholesalers in most lines of business were the gainers. The retail stores, especially, did a rushing business. In banking circles the demand for money still continues good, although several of the banks have caused lending for the present, in order to maintain their cash reserves, likely to be drawn on by depositors in paying taxes.

Collections are steadily improving in the hardware trade is the report given by dealers. This is due to the fact that farmers and growers generally are receiving payments for their crops and are in turn making payment on debts. Staple goods are moving freely. The stove and heater business is better than the average for this time of year, with promise of lively trade throughout the fall. Builders' hardware and sheet metal are still in great demand.

The car shortage is still the important feature in the business of the lumber trade. Lumber dealers report that the shortage continues to grow worse and worse, with little prospect for relief until all crops are harvested, when more cars will be available for other uses. Most of the yards were heavily stocked some time ago and as a result the trade is being supplied, even though delivery is slow.

Dry Goods Sales Steady.

Local wholesale dry goods dealers report business as steady and fair. Cotton prices continue stiff, noticeably in the lines of Lonsdales and Hopes, which have had an advance of half a cent. Jobbers report a dubious outlook for fancy lines, and the damage to staple cottons occasions further uncertainty. On the mercerized lines of fine yarn goods trade is excellent, but not on the coarser lines of cotton dress fabrics. The demand for quilts is lively, one mill having sold 20,000 quilts in the past three weeks for spring delivery.

White goods are marked up. Fall merchandising of heavy fancy cottons has proved successful. The knit goods trade is better and silks are in active demand. Linen dealers are complaining because of slow responsive orders.

While business was good during the week with retail dealers, it was not so extensive as during other conference periods. The advent of cold weather has stimulated trade, so that the people are buying suits, coats, tailor-made goods and winter staples at quite a lively rate. Dealers report a great call for sweaters for both sexes and the demand for silk goods continues good.

TO PREVENT CUT IN WOOL TARIFF

Association Takes Steps to Protect Fruits of Victory, Won by Senators.

Officers of the National Wool Growers' association are of the opinion that the growers of wool throughout the country should be on their guard against a possible effort on the part of some interests to bring about a reduction of the tariff on wool. C. B. Stewart, secretary of the Utah Wool Growers' association, on Saturday received a letter from George S. Walker, secretary of the National Wool Growers' association, written from the office of the secretary at Cheyenne, in which it was said that, while many wool growers of the country feel they are secure and that nothing will be done with the tariff on wool for years to come, there is danger that this duty was the only commodity on which the duty was not changed either up or down, the results obtained being due to organization. The letter says:

"It was the National Wool Growers' association, ably assisted by the state and county organizations and by those splendid workers, Warren, Smoot and Carter in the senate, Gordon, Cole and others in the house, that enabled us to win out."

It is said that the other side has not been idle, however, and, assisted by the carded wool and carpet manufacturers, they are quietly organizing for another attack on wool and woolsens, which may come at the next session of congress. The letter says there is not much dissatisfaction with the duties on wool, but there are strong complaints against the provisions of schedule K of the bill, with reference to woolsens.

The letter contained a statement from Theodore Justice of Justice, Batemant & Co., Philadelphia, in which he reviews the questions brought up by the renewed tariff discussion and says it is up to the clothing manufacturers to explain how the tariff will increase the cost of clothing to the consumer \$20,000,000 for the season of 1910, as has been stated in some quarters.

STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET.

Successors to E. H. Harriman Will Be Named at Meeting.

"Who will succeed E. H. Harriman?" is a question that has been asked almost continuously since the railroad magnate died, but Salt Lake officials of the affiliated lines will have no successor. At the stockholders' meetings here next week some one will be named to take Mr. Harriman's place on the executive board, but it is not expected that he will succeed to all the duties Mr. Harriman discharged.

The affiliated lines have been reorganized in the last two years on what railroad men call a military basis. It is said now that almost anyone who commands this "military" force, but some can command better than others.

Monday the stockholders of the Pacific Fruit company will meet in Salt Lake and elect an executive board. Then the stockholders of the Union Pacific Equipment association will have an election. Tuesday the stockholders of the Union Pacific Land company will meet, and a little later in the day stockholders of the Union Pacific railway will elect executives.

ST. MARY'S NOTES.

The Rev. Father McMullan, the Paulist from San Francisco, favored the pupils with a brief informal talk before the benediction service Sunday afternoon.

The graduates' class room was the center of an enthusiastic party of star-gazers Monday evening, the object being the planet Saturn, whose rings are now plainly discernible through the telescope. It was a wonderful sight to those who had never seen it, except with the naked eye. Another view of Mars was also enjoyed before the company dispersed.

The music department seems to be as largely patronized as ever, the card of practice and lesson hours being completely filled. Classes in harmony have been newly organized.

Thursday afternoon was given free for the purpose of visiting the state fair. Almost without exception the pupils availed themselves of the privilege.

ADDS NEW JEWEL TO CITY'S CROWN

Beautiful Federal Heights All Ready to Be Turned Over to Municipality.

Matters connected with the development of Federal Heights reached the final stages during the past week, when the last stakes defining the building lots there were driven and the engineering work was completed. Plans for filling the plat with the proper city authorities are being prepared and will be presented some time this week. This means that within a short time the public portion of this beautiful residence section will be turned over to the city in a condition never before presented by any addition here.

The handsome petrolium paving has been completed and the machinery was taken away Friday. The roads throughout the place are now in perfect condition. A visit to the heights is a revelation. The parks are now in full bloom, with rows of attractive shrubbery and green grass plots. Only one of these is uncompleted, and it is the intention next spring to plant this with roses, a feature which promises to be unusually effective.

The trees, especially on the higher ground, have developed rapidly and present a beautiful appearance as well as an added atmosphere of cultivation to the whole addition, bringing the place naturally into harmony with the improvements along South Temple street. It is truly pointed out that Federal Heights is the first addition that has ever been turned over to the city with everything connected with the place completed.

Work on the new houses is progressing rapidly. The handsome residence of J. F. Nibley, just at the junction of Sigbee avenue and East South Temple street, facing Connor park, is practically completed outside, and the contractors are preparing to put in the window and door frames.

The new home being erected by A. V. Callaghan, at the corner of Perry and Sigbee avenues, is now enclosed and the roof has been put on. This structure promises to be one of the most beautiful residences on the heights. The house stands facing Farragut park, looking towards the northeast to Dry canyon and Black mountain. One of the notable features of the house is the fireplace, out of doors, on the front porch, which is arranged so that it can be enclosed with glass and thus be used during the evenings of early fall. Although facing the mountains, the house will have entrances from both of the avenues on the sides. From the rear an unexcelled view of the Salt Lake valley to the westward can be obtained.

In this structure, as well as in the residence of H. W. Throckmorton, which was completed last spring, there is illustrated the fact that practically every home on the heights will be unhampered by adjoining houses in its view of the surrounding country. This is a special feature which can be obtained in no other residence addition in the city.

SOLDIER'S LOVE IS HIS UNDOING

Sweetheart Lives in Ogden and the Man Deserts to Be Near.

Because Adam John Knapp, a soldier of Fort Douglas, could not bear to stay away from his sweetheart, he became a deserter, according to a story told regarding the young man's trouble at Ogden that resulted in the United States authorities taking a hand in the case. Knapp was found at Ogden, whether he had gone after departing from Fort Douglas, where he was employed as a barber, and in that capacity was earning about \$80 a month and his board.

He is engaged to marry a pretty young woman of Ogden, a member of a good family, and he found his quarters at the fort irksome. He could not wait until his term of enlistment expired, but hid himself to Ogden and took a situation with a barber there. Knapp had always had a good reputation and until the reason for his desertion became known his friends were puzzled at his conduct.

Knapp while in Ogden was approached by two men, who are said to have represented themselves as secret service operatives, and offered to keep his whereabouts secret if he would give them \$15. He gave them \$4.50, so it is said, and as a result they were arrested. One of them, Henry Boyd, was before United States Commissioner Patton at Ogden Friday, and was held to answer to the federal grand jury at its next sitting. Colonel H. E. Booth, United States attorney, was at Ogden looking after the case for the government.

SAYS THEATRE IS A NUISANCE

Saloonist John Baer Wants the Majestic Playhouse to Move Away From His Place.

Claiming that the Majestic theatre is a nuisance and hurts his business, John Baer filed his answer in the district court yesterday to the injunction suit brought by the theatre to close up his saloon at 20 East First South street. The suit of the theatre company was filed in court after the city council issued a license for Baer.

Baer claims, in his answer, that there has been a saloon at 20 East First South street for twenty years, and that two years ago the Majestic Amusement company came along and established its theatre the next door east of his saloon. Then the theatre company tried to have Baer's license revoked and put him out of business under the state law that a saloon could not operate within fifty feet of an amusement place. Baer holds the converse of this law to be true and declares that an amusement company cannot locate within fifty feet of a saloon.

He declares the license under which the theatre is operating is a null and void and asks that it be closed by injunction and compelled to move away. The plea of the Majestic company for an injunction came before Judge C. W. Morse yesterday, but was postponed for argument until the case will be fought out once and for all. But until that time both the saloon and the theatre will keep on doing business.

DR. F. H. AHYERS WAS ARRESTED

Yesterday afternoon, and is held for the police of Peoria, Ill., where he is charged with embezzlement and forgery.

Change in Time on O. S. L. Effective Sunday, Oct. 10, Train No. 13, which has been operated between Salt Lake and Pocatello in connection with Portland trains, will be extended through to Boise, but will not make Portland connection, leaving Salt Lake 8 a. m., instead of 9. Returning train from Boise, No. 14, will reach Salt Lake 10:35 p. m. Cache valley special No. 11 will leave Salt Lake at 4:15 p. m., instead of 4 p. m.

SENATOR REED SMOOT, who spent Friday in Salt Lake, left for Provo early yesterday afternoon to attend a meeting at the Brigham Young university last night.

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DEATH SUMMONS J. J. DUCKWORTH

Master Blacksmith for Denver & Rio Grande Railway Dies in Hospital.

Joseph J. Duckworth, master blacksmith of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad at Salt Lake, died at 5:30 o'clock Saturday evening at St. Mark's hospital, this city, having been taken to that institution just twenty-four hours previously. Death resulted from a complication of diseases. Mr. Duckworth had not enjoyed good health since meeting with the fatal accident in the railroad shops on Feb. 29, 1908.

Mr. Duckworth was born March 7, 1851, at Barry, Lancashire, England. He leaves a wife and five sons, all grown to manhood, all of whom live in Salt Lake.

Mr. Duckworth was listed among the advanced railway mechanical foremen who have made a good record for themselves in this country. He spent eight years at the anvil in England and twenty-nine years at the trade in this country six years of which time he was in business in Salt Lake for himself.

Since coming to this country he had devoted thirty-six years to the position of master blacksmith for various railroads, including the Denver & Rio Grande, Union Pacific, Utah Northern and Oregon Short Line, as well as the Great Western.

Mr. Duckworth was widely known among railroad men in this part of the country and possessed a host of friends in and out of railroad circles. He was an enthusiastic member of the National Railroad Master Blacksmiths' association, and was a thorough master of his trade, also being a practical railway machinist.

The United States produces about 30,000,000 gallons of wine a year.

THE CRESCENT CREAM COMPANY INCORPORATED

A Wide Awake, Progressive Firm.

The writer was pleased to look through the Crescent Cream company's plant and note the improvements recently made. The firm incorporated on Aug. 1 with W. J. Blake, president; F. M. Drumm, treasurer, and G. M. Drumm, secretary. During the ice famine this summer they shipped in several cars of ice from Butte, and gave their customers good service without increasing prices. During the ice shortage they installed a refrigerating plant, the first plant of the kind installed in the city for freezing ice cream.

I was also shown a large shipment of individual moulds just received from the east, including all the new designs in this line of delicacies. They are without doubt the best equipped firm in the city to supply the family trade with all the up-to-date novelties in frozen goods.

Notwithstanding the present well equipped condition of their factory, the Crescent Cream company have perfected plans for the coming season, giving them an unlimited supply of ice, and a capacity of 5,000 gallons per day. This will take care of the rapid growth of our city and the increasing demand for their goods throughout the state. We bespeak for this firm a bright and prosperous future.

STUCKEY OUT ON BAIL.

Ottawa, Kan., Oct. 9.—Rev. E. M. Stuckey, recently arrested in Waukegan, Ill., in company with 17-year-old Lorena Sutherland, was arraigned here today, charged with kidnapping, entered a plea of not guilty and was released on \$2,000 bonds. No date was set for his trial.

UNCLE SAM TO PROTEST.

Tokio, Oct. 9.—Special dispatches from London received here insist that the United States is preparing to make a vigorous protest against the recent agreement between China and Japan in relation to Manchurian affairs.

NEW TAXICAB AND AUTOMOBILE COMPANY ORGANIZED

"Taxi" Service for Salt Lake Next Month.

Mr. Hartwick, president, and Mr. Kahn, secretary and treasurer of the Taxicab & Automobile company, a corporation recently organized in Salt Lake, have returned from the east, where they were fortunate enough to secure the agency for the Carter car line of taxicabs and touring cars.

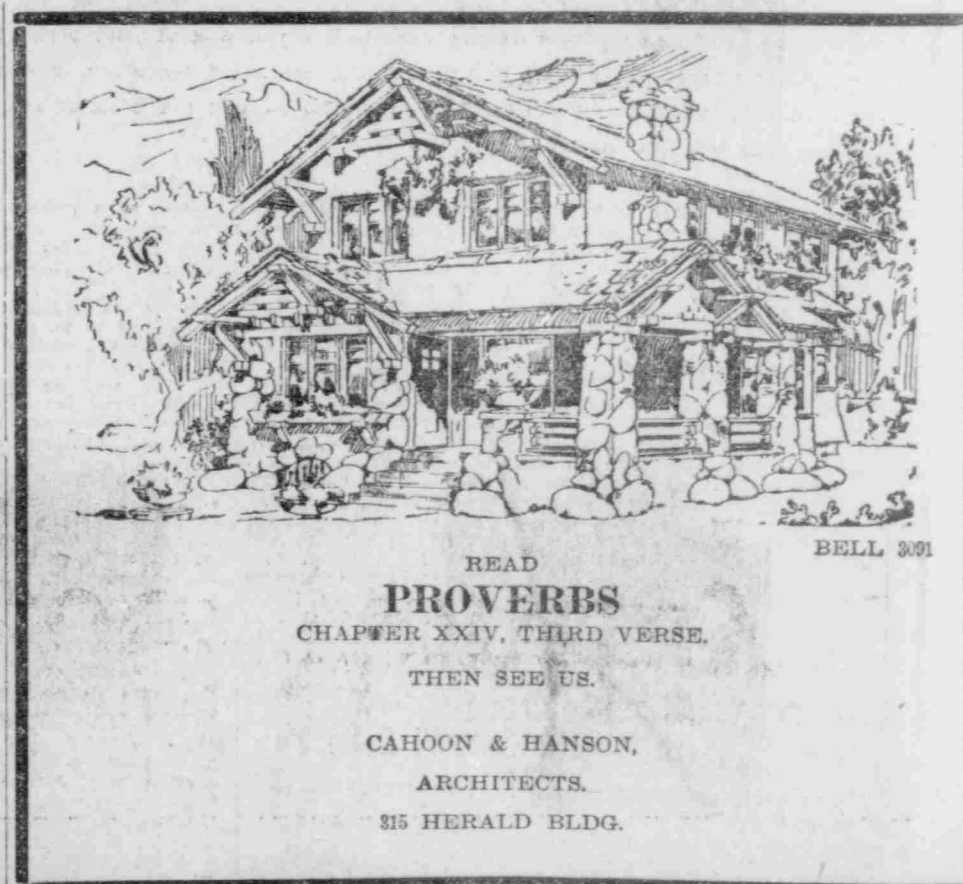
They say that they will have twenty-five "taxi" in operation on the streets of Salt Lake just as fast as the factory can turn them out. Their statement means that this city will rival cities of much greater size in having the most modern and latest equipped taxicab service in the country.

The first shipment will consist of ten cars. The remaining fifteen that complete the contract will arrive and be put in operation as the factory is able to supply the company. The cars being of special order and workmanship, will necessitate more time being spent on their manufacture than those of an ordinary order, hence their late delivery.

The taxicab is one of the most modern and improved inventions of the century. It is a motor car for public service, the passenger paying only for the actual distance he travels, as recorded by the taximeter. This particular type of vehicle is provided with the most modern conveniences, such as electric lights, speaking tube for signaling the driver, etc.

Messrs. Hartwick and Kahn also secured the agency for the Thor motorcycle, one of the most popular cycles in speed circles, owing to its extreme speed, lightness and simplicity.

In the near future the new company will establish their offices. The exact location they will occupy is not stated as yet.



FOR STEALING TROUSERS.

Alleged Culpit Is Detained by Merchant Until Police Come.

Fred Henderson was placed under arrest about 8 o'clock Saturday night by Detective Fred M. Schulze, a charge of petty larceny being lodged against him made at the new store of the Gardner company, in South Main street, where it was alleged, Henderson had attempted to get away with a pair of trousers. It was said that the proprietor of the store caught Henderson with the trousers under his coat. He detained the man until the arrival of the police.

It was reported that there was another man in company with Henderson at the store and that he left the place quickly when the affair occurred. He was not found.

Free Music Lessons.

Madame Brodbeck, who studied for many years under the best masters in Europe, will give one month's free vocal or piano to prospective students. Lessons at her studio, 909 Rice street. Ind. phone 12662.